EXPEDITED PROCEDURE Examining Group Number 2826

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title: ELECTRONIC COMPONENT AND SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER, AND

METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Advisory Action mailed March 29, 2007, and further in response to the final Office Action mailed January 8, 2007. The amendments previously filed on March 7, 2007 were not entered, as noted in the Advisory Action. Those amendments are re-presented below. Additionally, claims 18-20 have been cancelled. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the present application.